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 TO THE  
**GOD OF ABRAHAM.**  
 IN THREE PARTS:  
 A D A P T E D

*To a celebrated Air, sung by the Priest, Signior Leoni, &c.  
 at the Jew's Synagogue, in London:*

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The TENTH EDITION.

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**I AM THE GOD of ABRAHAM, Exod. iii. 6.**

*He is thy God, Deut. x. 31.*

*Then the Levites said,—Stand up and praise the LORD  
 your GOD for ever and ever, Neh. ix. 5.*

*I will sing Praises unto my GOD while I have any  
 being, Psalm cxlvi. 2.*



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# A H Y M N, &c.

## PART THE FIRST.

### I.

THE God of *Abrah'm* praise (a),  
Who reigns enthron'd above ;  
Ancient of everlasting days (b),  
And God of Love (c) :  
JEHOVAH (d), GREAT I AM (e) !  
By earth and heav'n confess (f) ;  
I bow and bless the sacred Name,  
For ever bless'd (g).

### II.

The God of *Abrah'm* praise,  
At whose supreme command (b),  
From earth I rise—and seek the joys  
At his right hand :  
I all on earth forsake (i),  
Its wisdom, fame and power ;  
And Him my only Portion make (k),  
My Shield and Tower (l).

(a) Exod. 3. 6. (b) Dan. 7. 22. (c) 2 Cor. 13. 4.  
(d) Exod. 6. 3. (e) Exod. 3. 14. (f) Rev. 4. 8—11.  
(g) Rom. 1. 25. (b) Gen. 12. 1. (i) Gen. 12. 4.  
(k) Gen. 15. 1. (l) Psal. 18. 2.

## III.

The God of Abrab'm praise,  
 Whose all-sufficient grace (m)  
 Shall guide me all my happy days (n),  
 In all my ways.  
 He calls a worm his friend (o) !  
 He calls himself my God (p) !  
 And he shall save me to the end (q),  
 Thro' J esu's blood.

## IV.

He by Himself hath sworn (r),  
 I on his oath depend (s),  
 I shall, on eagle's wings up-borne (t),  
 To heav'n ascend :  
 I shall behold his face (u),  
 I shall his power adore (w),  
 And sing the wonders of his grace (x)  
 For evermore.

(m) Gen. 17. 1. (n) Chap. 28. 15. (o) Jam. 2. 23.  
 (p) Exod. 3. 6. (q) 1 Pet. 1. 5. (r) Gen. 22. 16. 17.  
 Heb. 6. 13. (s) Rom. 4. 20. 21. (t) Exod. 19. 4.  
 (u) John 17. 24. (w) Exod. 15. 2. (x) Psal. 145. 1.  
 Psal. 146. 2.

## PART THE SECOND.

## V.

Tho' nature's strength decay (y),  
 And earth and hell withstand (z),  
 To Canaan's bounds I urge my way (a),  
 At his command :  
 The wat'ry deep I pass (b),  
 With Jesus in my view (c) ;  
 And thro' the howling wilderness (d)  
 My way pursue.

## VI.

The goodly land I see (e),  
 With peace and plenty bless'd (f) ;  
 A land of sacred liberty (g),  
 And endless rest (h) :  
 There milk and honey flow (i) ;  
 And oil and wine abound (k) ;  
 And trees of life for ever grow (l),  
 With mercy crown'd.

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(y) Gen. 25. 4. 6. Rom. 4. 19. (z) Exod. 5. 2.  
 (a) Exod. 14. 15. (b) Exod. 14. 22. (c) Exod. 13. 21.  
 (d) Exod. 13. 18. (e) Exod. 3. 8. (f) Deut. 8. 7—9.  
 (g) Lev. 25. 42. (b) Exod. 33. 14. (i) Exod. 3. 8.  
 (k) Deut. 32. 12. 14. (l) Isai. 61.

## VII.

There dwells the **LORD** our **KING** (*m*),  
**THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS** (*n*),  
Triumphant o'er the world and sin (*o*),  
The Prince of Peace (*p*) :  
On Sion's sacred height (*q*),  
His kingdom still maintains ;  
And glorious with his saints in light (*r*),  
For ever reigns.

## VIII.

He keeps his own secure (*s*),  
He guards them by his side,  
Arrays in garments white and pure (*t*)  
His spotless bride (*u*) :  
With streams of sacred bliss (*w*),  
With groves of living joys —  
With all the fruits of Paradise (*x*),  
He still supplies.

(*m*) Gen. 14. 18. Heb. 7. 1, 2. (*n*) Jer. 33. 16.  
(*o*) Eph. 4. 8. Phil. 2. 9—11. (*p*) Isa. 9. 6. (*q*)  
Psal. 50. 2. Psal. 99. 1, 2. (*r*) Isa. 24. 23. (*s*) Psal.  
12. 7. (*t*) Rev. 4. 4. Chap. 19. 7, 8. (*u*) Eph. 5. 27.  
(*w*) Rev. 7. 17. Chap. 22. 1. (*x*) Rev. 2. 7. Chap.  
22. 2.

## PART THE THIRD.

### IX.

Before the great THREE-ONE (y)  
 They all exulting stand,  
 And tell the wonders he hath done,  
 Thro' all their land :  
 The list'ning spheres attend (z),  
 And swell the growing fame ;  
 And sing, in songs which never end,  
 The wond'rrous NAME.

### X.

The GOD who reigns on high (a),  
 The great arch-angels sing,  
 And (b) " Holy, Holy, Holy," cry,  
 " ALMIGHTY KING !  
 " Who Was, and Is, the same ;  
 " And evermore shall be ;  
 " JEHOVAH—FATHER—GREAT I AM !  
 " We worship Thee."

(y) Rev. 7. 9, 10. (z) Rev. 7. 11, 12. (a) Rev. 4. 8.  
 (b) Sing the following parts of this verse *slow*, and *solemn*.

## XI.

Before the SAVIOUR's face (c)  
 The ransom'd nations bow ;  
 O'erwhelm'd at his Almighty grace,  
 For ever new :  
 He shews his prints of Love—  
 They kindle—to a flame !  
 And found thro' all the worlds above,  
 The slaughter'd L A M B.

## XII.

The whole triumphant host (d)  
 Give thanks to G O D on high ;  
 " Hail, FATHER, SON, and HOLY-GHOST,"  
 They ever cry :  
 Hail, *Abraham's* G O D—and *mine* (e) !  
 (I join the heav'nly lays (f),  
 All Might and Majesty are Thine (g),  
 And endless Praise.

(c) Rev. 5. 8—10. Chap. 15. 2—4. (d) Rev. 5. 13, 14.  
 Chap. 19. 1—7. (e) Psal. 89. 26. John 20. 17. Ver. 28.  
 (f) Psal. 103. 1—5. (g) Rev. 4. 11. Chap. 5. 12.  
 Chap. 7, 10, 12.

